

ORLEANS PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
RESOLUTION NO. 19-19

The following Resolution was offered for adoption by _____, seconded _____:

A resolution setting forth and designating the adjusted millage rate and the increased millage rate on all the property subject to taxation in Orleans Parish, State of Louisiana.

WHEREAS, Acts 143 and 496 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature amended La. Revised Statute 47:1705(B) authorizing a taxing district to increase its millage rate after reassessment;

WHEREAS, the Orleans Parish School Board (the “**School Board**”) noticed in *The Times Picayune / The Advocate*, the district’s Official Journal, on October 14, 2019 and on October 16, 2019 its intent to consider a millage roll forward and set the date for the public hearing on the proposed roll forward for November 19, 2019 at 3:00 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, the Orleans Parish School Board held said public hearing and provided through additional advertisement the date and time of the Board action on the millage on November 19, 2019, at the Orleans Parish School Board Offices located at 2401 Westbend Parkway, Room 1050, New Orleans, LA 70114; and

WHEREAS, the La. Revised Statutes prescribe that when a taxing authority is rolling forward millage rates, the taxing authority is required to adopt two separate resolutions, one designates the adjusted millage rate, and the second designating the adjusted rate and the increased millage rate.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Orleans Parish School Board, State of Louisiana, in a public meeting held on November 19, 2019, which meeting was conducted in accordance with the Open Meetings Law and the additional requirements of Article VII, Section 23 (C) of Louisiana Constitution and R.S. 47:1705 (B), that the taxing district voted to increase the millage rate(s), but not in excess of the prior year’s maximum authorized rate(s), on all taxable property shown on the official assessment roll for the year 2020, when collected, the revenues from said taxes shall be used only for the specific purposes for which said taxes have been levied. Said millage rate(s) are:

	<u>Adjusted Rate</u>	<u>2020 Levy</u>
Constitutional Mills	25.75	27.65
<u>Dedicated Purposes:</u>		
Purpose A — School Books, Materials and Supplies	1.44	1.55
Purpose B — Discipline and Dropout	1.44	1.55
Purpose C — Employee Salary, Benefits and Incentives	6.77	7.27
Purpose D — Air Conditioning, Asbestos Removal and Facilities Maintenance	2.16	2.32
Capital Repair Millage	2.53	2.72

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Assessor of the Parish of Orleans shall extend upon the assessment roll for the year 2020 the taxes herein levied, and the tax collector of said Parish shall collect and remit the same to said taxing authority in accordance with law.

The foregoing Resolution was read in full, the roll was called on the adoption thereof, and the resolution was adopted by no less than two-thirds of the total membership of the taxing authority voting in favor as required by Article VII, Section 23(C) of the Louisiana Constitution and R.S. 47:1705(B). The votes were:

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

ABSENTIONS:

PASSED AND ADOPTED AT THE ORLEANS PARISH SCHOOL BOARD SPECIAL MEETING held at the Orleans Parish School Board Offices located at 2401 Westbend Parkway, Room 1050, New Orleans, LA 70114 on the 19th day of November, 2019.

ORLEANS PARISH SCHOOL BOARD

By:

John A. Brown, Sr., President

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF ORLEANS

I, the undersigned Secretary of the Orleans Parish School Board, State of Louisiana, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is a true and exact copy of the resolution adopted at the Board Special meeting held on November 19, 2019, at which meeting at least two-thirds of the total membership was present and voting.

I, further attest that the Public Notice and Meeting Agenda attached were properly noticed and posted in the Orleans Parish School Board Office and on the New Orleans Public Schools website.

IN FAITH WHEREOF, witness my official signature and the impress of the official seal of said School Board in the Parish of Orleans, State of Louisiana, on this, the 19th day of November, 2019.

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(SEAL)

By: _____
Henderson Lewis, Jr., Ph.D., Secretary-Treasurer